

## Key Religious Vocabulary and Core Beliefs

### Key Stage 1

advent	aisle	alter	awe and wonder
baptism	belief	belonging	Bible
birth	chancel	Christianity	christening
community	death	disciples	Easter
commandments	God	gospel	harvest
festival	heaven	Holy Spirit	incarnation
healing	Last Supper	lectern	Lord's Prayer
Jesus	marriage	miracle	nave
love	parables	prayer	pulpit
Palm Sunday	resurrection	rules	salvation
Relationship with God	Judaism	Abraham	G-d
symbol	covenant	David	ark
bimah	Moses	Ner tamid	Rosh Hashanah
Kosher	Shofar	Sukkah/Sukkot	synagogue
Shabbat			

## Lower Key Stage 2

*In addition to KS1....*

adoration	Devil	Krishna	salvation
Brahman	forgiveness	promise	Vishnu
deity	incense	sacred	Brahma
freedom	pilgrimage	Trinity	congregation
Hanuman	resurrection	authority	Exodus
Pesach/Passover	Trimurti	confession	grace
Rama	aum	eternal	Mary
Sita	community	Ganges	puja
arti	Durga	Lent	Shiva
communion	Ganesha	prophecy	worship

## Upper Key Stage 2

*In addition to KS1 and Lower Key Stage 2*

<b>Islam</b>	<b>Sikh</b>	<b>Christian</b>	<b>General</b>
Adhan	Amrit	Covenant	Angel
Allah	Chauri	Holy Spirit	Charity
Arabic	Gurdwara	Incarnation	Donation
Burka	Guru Granth Sahib	Kingdom of God	Funeral
-Hajj	Guru	Martyr	Heaven
Hijab	Ik Onkar	New Jerusalem	Hell
Kaaba	Kachera	Pentecost	Holiness

Makkah	Kanga	Redeemer	Inspiration
Medina	Kara	Redemption	Prophecy
Mosque	Kesh	Resurrection	Prophet
Muhammas (pbuh)	Khalsa	Salvation	Revelation
Qur'an	Kirat Karna	Saviour	Sacred
Ramadan	Kirpan	Trinity	Sacrifice
Rakah	Langar		Saint/hood
Salah	Mool Mantra		Scripture
Sawm	Nam japna		
Shahadah	Sewa		
Tawid	Vand Chhakna		
Ummah	Waheguru		

### **CHRISTIAN Core Beliefs**

- Jesus Christ is the Son of God (incarnation)
- God is Father, Son and Holy Spirit (Trinity)
- God is Creator and Sustainer of the Universe
- Jesus Christ fulfilled the Law of Moses and established a new Covenant relationship based on the Law of Love
- Jesus showed how great God's Love is for everyone, in his life, death and resurrection (Salvation)
- Christians believe that Jesus Christ is their personal Saviour
- Entry into heaven is via the grace of God

### **JEWISH Core Beliefs**

- There is one creator G-d (not named by Jews as so profound)
- There is a covenant relationship between G-d with His people
- The Torah, which includes the Law of Moses, contains 613 Mitzvot (commandments) which are life rules to follow
- There is a Holy Land given by God to the Jews
- There is a coming Messiah who will restore all things

- The Jewish family expresses and passes on Jewish tradition
- Jews believe that after death comes the judgment - heaven or hell

### **HINDU Core Beliefs**

- There is one God manifested through many Gods
- There are 3 main roles - called the Trimurti - Creator (Brahma), Sustainer (Vishnu), Destroyer (Shiva)
- Belief in reincarnation
- Belief in non-violence (Ahimsa)
- Religious duties to the family and community (Dharma)
- Karma, the Law of cause and effect, determine your next life

### **ISLAMIC Core Beliefs**

- Allah is the one and only God
- Allah created and rules everything
- Allah has no children, partner or equal
- Muhammad (pbuh) is the final prophet
- The Holy Qur'an is the final revelation from Allah given through Muhammad (pbuh)
- Muslims believe in submission to the will of Allah and in peace
- Muslims believe that after death comes judgment - heaven or hell

### **SIKH Core Beliefs**

- There is One God - who is Truth, Eternal and Creator
- Everyone is equal
- Honest work is good
- Service and hospitality within the community (Sewa)
- Reincarnation - the cycle of birth, life, death and re-birth (Karma)
- Sikhs have a personal choice to commit to the 5 K's